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## CERTIFICATION OF INDEPENDENCE (Rule # 61G20-3)

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**Product Category:** Hurricane Shutters

**Product Subcategory:** Hurricane Shutters

**Product Name:** Nautilus Rolling Shutter System

**Submitted By:** ESS MANUFACTURING Inc.

**Dear Sir (Madam):**

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